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Our Docket No.: 169.12-0507

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Title: SLIDER WITH A COMPLIANT TRANSDUCER
INTERFACE

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

ADDRESS TO:

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Box Patent Application
Washington, D.C. 202311. ☒ Fee Calculation Sheet
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status3. ☒ Specification Total Pages [25]

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed. Sponsored R&D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claims
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4. ☒ Drawings (35 U.S.C. 113)

Total Sheets [10]

5. ☒ Oath or Declaration

Total Pages [3]

- a. ☒ Newly Executed (original or copy)
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d) - for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

[Mark Box 5 below]

I. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)

6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76.

- 7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
- 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (If applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies; or
 - ii. ☐ Paper
 - c. ☐ Statements verifying identify of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- 9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- 10. ☐ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Submission
- 11. ☐ Power of Attorney
- 12. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
- 13. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement with copies of Citations as necessary
- 14. ☐ Preliminary Amendment Total Pages ☐
- 15. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (Should be specifically itemized)
- 16. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority document(s) (If foreign priority is claimed)
- 17. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). (Nonpublication Request)
- 18. ☐ Other

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☐ Continuation ☐ Division ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior Application No.

Prior Application Information: Examiner _____ Group Art Unit _____

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 and credit any over payments to Deposit Account No.11-0982. Deposit Account Name: Kinney & Lange, P.A.

2. ☒ Check Enclosed

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity Fee Code | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| 101 | 740 | 201 | 370 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Utility Filing Fee |
| 106 | 330 | 206 | 165 | <input type="checkbox"/> Design Filing Fee |
| 108 | 740 | 208 | 370 | <input type="checkbox"/> Reissue Filing Fee |
| 114 | 160 | 214 | 80 | <input type="checkbox"/> Prov. Filing Fee |
| Subtotal (1) \$740.00 | | | | |

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| | Number Claims | Prior** | Extra | Fee from Below | Fee Paid |
|---------------------------|------------------|---------|-------|-------------------|----------|
| Total | 24 | - 20 | = 4 | x 18 | = 72 |
| Indep. | 4 | - 3 | = 1 | x 84 | = 84 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims | | | * | = | * |

**Insert 3 and 20, or number previously paid if greater; Reissue see below

| Large Entity Fee Code | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Description |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| 103 | 18 | 203 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 |
| 102 | 84 | 202 | 42 | Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 104 | 280 | 204 | 140 | Multiple Dependent Claim |
| 109 | 84 | 209 | 42 | Reissue Independent Claims Over Original Patent |
| 110 | 18 | 210 | 9 | Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |
| Subtotal (2) \$156.00 | | | | |

FEE CALCULATION (Continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Large Entity Fee Code | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee paid |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--|----------|
| 105 | 130 | 205 | 65 | Surcharge - Late filing fee or oath | * |
| 127 | 50 | 227 | 25 | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | * |
| 139 | 130 | 139 | 130 | Non-English specification | * |
| 147 | 2,520 | 147 | 2,520 | For Filing a Request for Reexamination | * |
| 115 | 110 | 215 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | * |
| 116 | 400 | 216 | 200 | Extension for reply within second month | * |
| 117 | 920 | 217 | 460 | Extension for reply within third month | * |
| 118 | 1,440 | 218 | 720 | Extension for reply within fourth month | * |
| 128 | 1,960 | 280 | 980 | Extension for reply within fifth month | * |
| 120 | 320 | 220 | 160 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | * |
| 121 | 280 | 221 | 140 | Request for oral hearing | * |
| 148 | 110 | 248 | 55 | Terminal Disclaimer Fee | * |
| 140 | 110 | 240 | 55 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | * |
| 141 | 1,280 | 241 | 640 | Petition to revive - unintentional | * |
| 142 | 1,310 | 242 | 670 | Utility/Reissue issue fee (inc advance copies) | * |
| 143 | 490 | 243 | 260 | Design issue fee (inc. advance copies) | * |
| 122 | 130 | 122 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | * |
| 123 | 50 | 123 | 50 | Petitions related to provisional applications | * |
| 126 | 180 | 126 | 180 | Submission of Information Disclosure Statement | * |
| 581 | 40 | 581 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | X |
| 179 | 740 | 279 | 370 | Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | * |
| Other fee (specify) _____ | | | | | * |

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